Subject: Maryland 1775 bill $1 1/3 dollar,
"Pageant of America" -- illustrations for.

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BALTIMORE'S PUBLIC LIBRARY

Cathedral, Franklin and Mulberry Streets, Baltimore

January 31, 1934

American Numismatic Society
Broadway and 155th Street
New York, New York

Gentlemen:

I am collaborating in the preparation of a Maryland history text book for use in the public schools. Among the pictures that we are anxious to include is a reproduction of the Maryland one and one-third dollar bill, reproduced as figure #699 in volume four of the "Pageant of America". As we are informed by the publisher that the original bill is in your collection, we will very much appreciate your sending us a glossy photograph of the bill; or if necessary having such a photograph made. In any case please bill us for all expenses involved.

We will very much appreciate your permission to publish this interesting item and your cooperation in securing the reproduction.

Very truly yours,

Joseph L. Wheeler

Joseph L. Wheeler
Librarian

JLW/SG

February 5, 1934.

Enoch Pratt Free Library
Cathedral, Franklin & Mulberry Streets
Baltimore, Md.

Attention: Joseph L. Wheeler

Dear Mr. Wheeler:

We do not have at hand the Pageant of America that you mention concerning our Maryland bill for one and one-third dollar, nor do we remember just which one we photographed. I am herewith sending you one dated 1775 which is the most interesting one that we have. I am sending this because we do not know when we will photograph again and we thought possibly you could do it or have it done quicker than we. Please return this bill as soon as you have photographed it.

Very truly yours,

HW:JG

Curator

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February 7, 1934

Mr. Howland Wood, Curator
The American Numismatic Society
Broadway between 155th & 156th Sts.
New York, New York

Dear Sir:

We are grateful indeed for your venturing to lend us the original of the Maryland bill for One and one-third Dollar, dated 1775. We are forwarding this by registered mail to the Art Department of Ginn and Company in order that they may make a direct line-cut, which we think will be preferable to a half-tone that would result ~~in~~ from our taking the photograph here.

Please accept our hearty thanks for this courtesy.

Very truly yours,

Joseph L. Wheeler

JOSEPH L. WHEELER
Librarian.

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JLW:sl

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February 19, 1934

Mr. Howland Wood, Curator
American Numismatic Society
Broadway between 155th & 156th Street
New York City

Dear Mr. Wood:

I return herewith, leaving here safely, the $1 1/3 bill, dated 1775, which you were so kind as to lend us and forward here for reproduction.

We are very grateful to you for this courtesy, and trust that this will reach you safely.

Very truly yours,

Joseph L. Wheeler

Joseph L. Wheeler
Librarian

W/MK

February 20, 1934.

Enoch Pratt Free Library
Cathedral, Frank & Mulberry Streets
Baltimore, Maryland.

Gentlemen: Attention: Joseph L. Wheeler

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of the $1 1/3 dollar bill of Maryland.

Very truly yours,

HW:JG

Curator